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Postal Costs Rising to \$94,550 in City

(Special to the Avalanche) New York. For business firms and individuals in Grayling, the cost of the mails will cost an estimated \$94,550 in the next fiscal year.

The amount is based on an increase in rates asked for by President Kennedy and already approved by the House. Similar action, with possible minor adjustments, is also expected to be taken shortly by the Senate.

It calls for increases in first, second and third class mails totaling \$701 million a year.

The \$15,097 share of this hike that local residents will have to assume represents an increase of some 19 percent over their expenditures last year.

In fiscal 1961, according to the official Post Office Department figures, mail costs locally amounted to \$79,453. They will rise to an estimated \$94,550 under the new bill. This assumes average, normal conditions in the city.

The principal change, as far as most individuals are concerned, is that it will cost a nickel instead of four cents to mail a letter. Post cards and air mail will also go up one cent.

The total increase in these first class categories comes to \$455 million.

Newspapers, magazines and other business enterprises that use the mails are also very concerned. The increase of over \$53 million in "second class" rates that is scheduled will add a heavy burden to many of them, they contend.

Third class mail, which covers bulk mailing, is to go for a \$16 million boost, much more than the administration asked for. There will be no rise in fourth class.

In urging the revision in mail rates, the government held that the postal service is a business and should be operated as such, with revenues sufficient to cover expenses.

Count Down For Men On The Way Up

Behind each dramatic new achievement there is a man who had an idea and knew it could be done. Why are some men able to come up with winning ideas more consistently than others? In a study of the careers of 100 aeronautical engineers, between the ages of 40 and 45, it was revealed that they read an average of almost four magazines, both general interest and technical, and 10 newspapers a week.

Changes happen fast these days. It is important to keep up with them. This week at the Crawford County Store, the "Library" will have a series of books on "The Way Up" which are being featured to stress the importance of being informed about your work. And that better source of information can be obtained than through your boss.

Crawford County residents must realize this. They are reading more than ever before. Compare our 1944 circulation of 3,892 books, 184 magazines, and no reference library setup at that time, with the 1961 circulation of 52,148 books, 1,740 magazines and 8,379 reference.

This enormous growth development has been handled by the Crawford County Store, which is located in a building, but there are limits, especially within a private home. So to keep up with the present level of interest in reading, and stimulate further growth, let's build a library!

Red Cross Meeting Notice

There is to be a reorganization meeting of the Crawford County Red Cross Chapter at the Shoppenapots Motor Hotel on Thursday afternoon, March 15th, at 2:30 for the purpose of electing new officers.

Anybody interested in Red Cross is welcome and urged to attend. Coffee and dessert will be served. 8-15

Chamber Gives List Of County Manufacturers

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If you are a manufacturer you are urged to contact your Chamber of Commerce secretary now to insure that your company is properly identified in this industrial guide for Michigan.

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Grayling Bowling Leagues

American League - 1st Division
Feb. 27, 1962

1 Dreywys	25
2 Pfeiffers Beer	18
3 Pfeiffers Letties	18
4 Banger's Men's Shop	16
5 Hoerl's Decorating	15
6 Smiggins Diggins	15
7 Jim's Cash Livery	12
8 Semco Homes	12

Team high series: Dreywys 2682, Hoerl's 2625, Banger's 2573.

Team high single: Dreywys 1003, Hoerl's 935, Banger's 904.

Ind high series: Mauren 577, Dr. Hoffman 567, Moore 557.

Ind high single: Bud. Smith 226, LaGrow 215, Dr. Hoffman 215.

High averages: Dean 183, Madison 182, Sawyer 179, Roper 177, Allison 176.

Eagles Win Pair To End Cage Season

The Frederic Eagles came up with two victories last week to end their regular cage season. They will enter District play at Gaylord tonight (Thursday) and their opponent will be Bellaire. Game time is set for 8:30 p. m. If the Eagles win the game, they will move into the finals set for 7:45 p. m. Saturday night.

Last week, the Eagles entertained Vanderbilt on Tuesday and Ellsworth on Friday night and came up with two wins, a 54 to 44 triumph over Vanderbilt and a close 52 to 50 squeaker over Ellsworth. Tuesday night, Frederic moved out to a 21 to 14 first period edge and the teams played quite even the rest of the fray. Mike Harner with 20 points led the Eagles attack with Redman adding 17, Armstrong 14, Wilson 2 and Beers 1.

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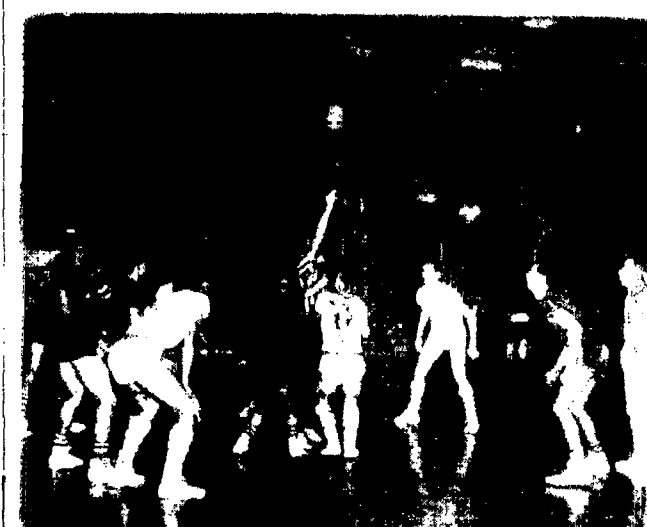
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Win Loop Second Place Tie

Vikings vs. Alcona In District At Roscommon Wednesday



Myron Burrows Photo

FINAL GAME ACTION — A jump ball is about to keep the final regular season game underway at the Grayling High gym last Friday against Gaylord. Jumping for Grayling is Chris Kroil (No. 14). Awaiting the result of the jump to the right is Jim Johnson (No. 10) and Tom LaMotte, at the left is Tim Neal.

Defense Department Freezes

Congressman Cederberg Protests Hold Up Of Camp Grayling Funds

A strong protest has been lodged with the Defense Department by Congressman Elford A. Cederberg against the action freezing funds appropriated for \$900,000 worth of construction work at Camp Grayling in Crawford County.

Although the construction was authorized by Congress last year, the Department of Defense has tied up the funds claiming it wanted to develop a uniform policy for determining the difference between temporary and permanent type construction.

Congressman Cederberg pointed out that Camp Grayling is used for training "National Guardsmen from Indiana and Ohio as well as Michigan and that it is certainly a permanent base" where these improvements are needed for the winter.

He also pointed out that Crawford County is a distressed labor area and that the project would materially help the economy of that section of the State.

In his letter to Charles J. Hirsch, assistant Secretary of Defense who issued the freeze order, Congressman Cederberg requested that Camp Grayling be eliminated from the category of camps where there is a question as to permanency.

TO HOLD AREA TEACHERS MEETING

Lansing. Teachers and administrators of the Michigan Education Association (MEA) will attend a regional council meeting in Schlang's Restaurant, Gaylord, March 14, at 4:30 p. m.

Featured at the meeting will be a report from the regional committee regarding the election of the MEA board of directors.

Presiding at the meeting will be Lucile Martin, Charlevoix High School, president of Region 14.

Plan Second Girl Scout Study Meet

A second Girl Scout Study Committee meeting is to be held at the Grayling High School at 7:30 p. m. March 14. From 10 a. m. to 2:30 p. m. Those attending are asked to bring a sack lunch. Coffee will be furnished.

The place of the meeting had not been decided at press time, but anyone interested to attend may contact Mrs. A. W. Kipp, DI 6-3653, or Mrs. Fred Bishaw, DI 8-4307 who will have the information.

At the present time, plans for the May P-T-A meeting call for Miss Helen Langlois, national Girl Scout representative from Chicago, to speak on scouting. Miss Langlois was a former teacher in the local schools, who will be remembered by some.

Bowhunter's Club Activities

Standings March 6

Baringer's Boomers	77
Madmen	66
Beats	48
Wharf Rats	47
Madsen Woodchoppers	42

The Boomers took a whopping 14 points this week, put the well in the lead, followed by the Woodchoppers with 10 to help them close up on the fourth place Rats who eked out three points to drop from third place in favor of the Beats, after a two-position tie winning and losing two on spots with the Seats and the Madmen.

Tapley lost the "Archers Ring" to Jim Hatfield who slipped in a close spot on the No. 2 target in the last round.

Grayling Girl In C.M.U. Concert Choir

Miss Jacqueline Norenberg, daughter of the Ernest Norenbergs, who has been pledged to Alpha Chi Omega sorority at Central Michigan University, and Miss Carol Penton, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Penton, will be members of the C.M.U. Concert Choir for the spring semester, 1962.

The choir's annual spring tour is scheduled for March 21-23 and will cover the western section of the state with concerts at Fremont, Whiteland, Grand Haven, East Grand Rapids, Holland and Ionia.

SPECIAL NOTE

The Sophomore Class of Grayling High School is very busy working on their play, "Look Back on the Days", which will be presented Friday, March 23rd. Keep that in mind for a night of fun-filled entertainment at the high school gym. 8 p. m. in the time.

Grayling Vikings vs. Alcona In District At Roscommon Wednesday

The Grayling Vikings will get into District play this Wednesday when they meet the Alcona-Lanling Tigers at the Roscommon High gym at 7:30 p. m. If they win the Vikings will go right into the finals which are set for 8:00 p. m. Saturday night. Their opponents would be the winner from the other bracket in which Lake City, Roscommon and Whittemore-Prentiss are vying.

Grayling nailed down a second place tie with the Harbor Springs Rams by virtue of a come from behind victory over the Gaylord Blue Devils at the Grayling High gym last Friday night in the last regular game of the season. In other conference action, Harbor held in the tie with Grayling by defeating the champions, the Pellston Hornets 62 to 59; Manclona stopped East Jordan by a scant 1 to 40 and Charlevoix rolled over Boyne City 63 to 44.

Friday night, the Vikings trailed 17 to 13 at the end of the first quarter of play and dropped even further behind at 31 to 24 by intermission time. The green and white came out battling after the half and outscored the visitors 17 to 10 in the third quarter to leave the score knotted at 41 all at the final period opened. Grayling came up with a 19 to 16 fourth quarter to win. Grayling was playing without the services of Sherm near the regular center who was at Fort Sheridan, Illinois taking an entrance exam for one of the service academies.

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Grayling lost Chris Kroil and Jim Johnson via the personal foul rule while the Hawks was lost by Grayling in the same manner. Grayling was called for 16 fouls and Gaylord 11 in a very poorly officiated contest.

Tim Neal, hot as a proverbial firecracker, kept Grayling in the game with a big 38 points on 15 field goals and 3 out of 4 free throws. Tom Wright with 12 was also in the double figures on 6 and 0. Tom LaMotte added 7, Walt Fillion 4, Chris Kroil 3 and John Johnson 2. The Hawks with 23 and 26 with 15 were high for the Blue Devils.

Grayling scored on 26 field goals and 8 out of 12 free throws. The Gaylord scoring came on 21 field goals and 15 out of 20 gratis shots.

The Little Vikings also turned in

Pays Fine On Justice Court Charge

Ernest K. Grissom, 48, of Fair Haven paid a fine of \$25 and costs of \$7.95 in Justice of the Peace Olin Williamson's court last Saturday after entering a plea of guilty to a charge of being drunk and disorderly.

Grissom was arrested on Friday by Sheriff Arthur Clough on the charge.

Conservation Notes

Notice to trappers: The beaver and other season opens on March 20 at 12:00 noon and closes at 12:00 noon March 31. All licenses must be purchased prior to 5:00 p. m. March 20. If trappers have any questions concerning open areas or anything pertaining to the coming season please call at the Grayling Field Office.

Notice to dog owners: We all know the situation our deer are in this spring. Snow conditions have been bad and our hunting dogs are acquiring better winters. With spring thaws coming we can expect dogs to be running. This is an illegal practice, allowing dogs to run deer. We hope that dog owners will take serious note of this and keep their dogs confined or tied up for the next two months, or it will be necessary for us to take care of them, and our manner of taking care of them is quite permanent.

Goal Not Reached

Crawford County's goal of 400 women to take part in the cancer detection program has not been reached. As of March 3rd only 318 women had been tested. One hundred sixty Roscommon County women had been tested in Crawford County. Other Roscommon County statistics were not available. The joint quota for the two counties was set at 1000.

Delinquent Tax List In This Week's Edition

The first publication of Crawford County lands up for sale because of delinquent taxes appears in this issue of the Crawford County Avalanche. The list will be found on page 5.

The sale, scheduled for May 1st, is for land with 1959 taxes and prior years as yet unpaid. The legal notice, covering better than a half of a page runs for the first week in April. It contains over 250 separate land descriptions.

Woman's Club

The Grayling Woman's Club met Monday evening at the clubhouse, with Mrs. C. R. Holcomb presiding at the business meeting. The group voted to purchase two bales of hay to help feed the deer.

Mrs. Glen Fenton introduced Mr. Sam Sherwood, who spoke on art. In order to paint one must first learn to draw. Two pictures by the artist were shown to demonstrate two art media.

Mrs. James Hall and Mrs. Dan Bonner were guests.

Lunch hostesses were Mrs. Matt Edson, chairman, assisted by Mrs. John Lukaszek and Mrs. C. R. Holcomb. A St. Patrick's day centerpiece with green tapers was used.

REMINDER!


LIGHT BULB SALE

The G. H. B. Junior class is now selling light bulbs. On Wednesday, March 14th, around 7 o'clock they will have a door to door drive. Check your supply, and buy from one of the juniors.

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'57 Buick Special 4-door Hardtop Dynaflow, Radio, Heater, 2 Tone Paint, Whitewall Tires \$690.00	'55 Olds 88 Two Door Hardtop Radio, Heater, Automatic Transmission \$345.00
'59 Ford Custom 300, 2-door Six Cylinder, Standard Transmission, Radio and Heater \$1,015.00	

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Bits O' Talk

Mr. and Mrs. Marius Rogalle of Horseshoe Lake, R. 1, Fredonia, left on Feb. 20th for a month's stay in Phoenix, Arizona. They reported every variety of weather on the way down.

Jehovah's Witnesses from this area returned home from their three-day assembly held at the Cadillac Armory last weekend. The program was climaxed by the timely public address: "Who Will Rule the World?" delivered by Mr. Nicholas Kovalak, Jr., of New York.

Don't forget Clair's Service for tires on a budget. No money down, 45 days till the first payment. 2-811

Mrs. Mary Bristow returned to her home in Royal Oak Sunday after spending ten days here visiting her brother, Roy Harrison, also Mrs. Elizabeth Atkinson and John Popch at Mercy Hospital. Donald Plagens is a member of the "Cyranos de Bergerac" cast, a production in rehearsal by members of Alpha Psi Omega, Central Michigan University's honorary dramatic society. Don is a senior at Central.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Bonar, Jr., of Breckinridge and Little son Michael spent several days recently with his parents, the Dewey Bonars.

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Above is the St. Mary's team in the Junior League coached by Leo Lovely. In the back row are: Dennis Rochette, Bob Cinciala; Dick Lobsinger, Keith Bobenmoyer, Mike Gorman and Doug Nielson. In the front row are: Tom Lafuszok, Mark Jurkovich, Kim Lovely, Rodney Lobsinger and Tom Hempel.

Heart Trouble Causes 57% Of Local Deaths

(Special to the Avalanche)

NEW YORK, Feb. 13 — How much progress has been made in Crawford County toward a reduction of its heart disease rate? How does the rate compare with that in other parts of the country?

Answers to these questions are of particular importance just now because February was National Heart Month.

Additional interest stems from the fact that the government is planning a mammoth test, involving as many as 50,000 people, to determine whether changes in diet can help prevent heart attacks.

A recent report by the U. S. Public Health Service shows that diseases of the heart and the blood vessels, commonly lumped together under the name heart disease, continue to outrank all others as the principal cause of death in the United States.

In Crawford County, according to the official figures, heart disease is responsible for 57.4 per cent of all local deaths. The ratio is even greater than that reported for the United States as a whole, 54.9 per cent of the total.

It is also above the ratio in the East North-Central States, 56.8 per cent.

One way to control the incidence of heart disease, many doctors have come to believe, is by proper diet.

According to Dr. Herbert Pollock of the American Heart Association, it has been clearly established that there is at least a statistical relationship between heart disease and the amount of cholesterol and other fats in the blood.

To investigate this evidence more thoroughly, the National Heart Institute is considering enrolling the 50,000 Americans for one of the most extensive research programs ever undertaken.

Half of them would continue eating as usual. The other half, for a period of five years, would eat special foods aimed at lowering the cholesterol level.

The latest Federal statistics show, for residents of Crawford County, a total of 54 deaths from all causes during 1959, with 31 of them due to heart disease.

The chief offender was coronary heart disease, which claimed 15 lives locally.

Girl Scout News

TROOP THREE

March 1, 1962
The president Mary Bobenmoyer opened the meeting with the promise. Roll call and dues were taken. Mary Kay Duley and Nancy Brown attended. The new president is now Mary Lee Marshall; secretary is Jean Sheeby; treasurer, Nancy Brown. The meeting ended with Friendship Circle and Taps.

Mary Kay Duley, Sec'y.

THE CHANGING SCENE

MODERN HOMES HAVE THEIR OWN SWIMMING POOLS, ILLUMINATED BY L.P. GAS LAMPS. NIGHT SWIMMING IS SAFE, AND THE GASLIGHTS CREATE THE CHARM OF YESTERYEAR.

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Chicago Ski Club Official Jamed To Committee

Detroit — Kenneth D. Fisher of Hidden Valley, Gaylord, has been appointed chairman of the lower Peninsula Hotels and Motels Committee of the Business and Products Promotion Board for the 962 Michigan Week.

The announcement was made in Detroit by Wesley R. Baker, executive assistant to Stanley S. Kresge and chairman of the Business and Products Promotion Board for the annual state observance to be held May 20-28.

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MONEY TO OPERATE

government, where and whom it will come from, still looms as the largest problem facing Michigan lawmakers.

The problem, reached its peak during the year-long 1959 session of the legislature when state employees faced one payless payday and were threatened with others.

A \$71.5 million deficit was on the books at the end of the fiscal year in July and there is no sure sign that the financial picture has improved since then.

Legislators this year will be hard pressed to find new sources of revenue to meet the demands for governmental services.

In the 1961 budget-writing process, the Democratic administration and the Republican legislature were far apart on estimates of how much was needed and the amount which would be available for operations.

It is still a matter of conjecture as to which was right, but the two sides now appear to be closer together on at least one point: that more money is needed than is available.

Recent meetings of both parties brought forth general agreement that Michigan citizens want services not now available under the present revenue pattern.

If new money is to be forthcoming, the only unanswered question remaining is to find the most equitable means to tax Michigan citizens to provide it.

Some Republicans feel minimal opposition to the nuisance taxes which were allowed to expire last July indicated these might be desirable areas to impose new, permanent levies.

The beer and liquor, telephone and telegraph, and cigarette and tobacco interests, of course, contend their products and services are already taxed beyond reasonable limits. And there is some justification for their stand.

Pessimists predicted last year that if the four per cent sales tax were approved, it would soon be boosted again and again and again. There were no indications from any quarters that this was being considered.

The business community now complains loudly and with agreement in both parties that its taxes are already too high.

Many Republican lawmakers have been heard in recent weeks to say an income tax might be the lesser of the several undesirables.

Gov. John B. Swainson, who proposed this method to the 1961 legislature as part of his fiscal reform program, said he welcomed this stand by some members of the opposition party.

"We haven't seen their votes on the board yet, however," he said. "Speeches sometimes are not backed up when the voting buttons are pushed."

Swainson is sticking to his position that he will not approve an income tax alone, however.

"This would not be the answer," he said. "The total picture of our tax structure must be taken into account."

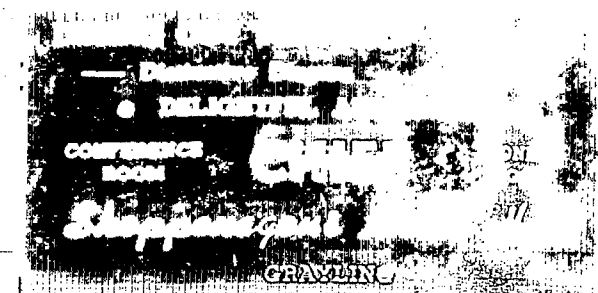
Recognition by both parties designed to cover more than a could mean they are ready to sit single fiscal year. It must be a down and seriously discuss how to program which will keep Michigan put Michigan back on the black gan's income growing along with side of the ledger. Any solution, however, must be services.

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FREDERIC TOWNSHIP

BOARD OF REVIEW

The first meeting of the Board of Review

of Frederic Township will be held on March 6, 1962

from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. at the Townhall. The next

meetings will be held on March 12 and 13 at the

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The Forgotten "Solution" . . .

President Kennedy spoke with accuracy in describing the farm problem in one of his Congressional messages when he said: "Without new, realistic measures, we will some day swamp our farmers and our taxpayers in a national scandal or a farm depression."

He added that he is submitting " . . . to the Congress a new comprehensive farm program, tailored to fit the use of our land and the supplies of each crop to the long-range needs of the Sixties, and designed to prevent chaos in the Sixties with a program of common sense."

We have had farm program after farm program — and about the only result has been more surpluses, more spending, more waste, more tax-subsidized reward for either non-production or useless production.

Perhaps, ultimately, farming will be returned to the framework of the free, competitive enterprise system, where production is geared to consumption and the law of supply and demand prevails in the market place. That's about the only "solution" we haven't tried.

A Newborn's Heritage

"The first child born in 1962 will owe \$1,603," says the Chamber of Commerce of the United States. "So will every other child born during the year. That figure is the per capita share of the public debt. Let's not make it bigger."

"The dollar 100 cents purchasing power at the time of the birth of the first child born in 1962 will be worth only 66 cents by the time the child is born."

MAPLE FOREST TOWNSHIP BOARD OF REVIEW

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beginning of this century, has 28 cents today (the two bit dollar is almost at hand). If inflation continues at the rate since the Korean War, the dollar will rot to 16.2 cents at the end of this century.

"The federal debt and guaranteed obligations of the federal government, \$295 billion, surpass by \$42 billion all the debts of all the other countries in the world." And Congress is faced with proposals to increase the debt and annual federal spending by billions.

Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

March 9, 1939

The recent tie-up of the State

ferries at the ice-bound Straits

of Mackinac was called another

argument for a bridge between

the two peninsulas by State High-

way Commissioner Murray Van-

Wagoner this week. "It is such a

structure is economically feasible."

Experiencing the most un-

usual weather conditions in the

history of the ferry service, the

two boats at the Straits made only

ten one-way trips in six days last

week to leave the two peninsulas

in almost complete isolation. The

ordinary schedule of the ice

crusher Sainte Marie calls for five

round trips daily with the railroad

car ferry Chief Wawatam avail-

able for emergencies. High winds

whipped the ice into huge wind-

rows as high as 12 feet above the

surface while below the ice was

frozen to the bottom of the Straits

near Mackinac City. "Most of the

arguments for a bridge have been

in connection with our sum-

mer tourist business and peak

periods of traffic," the commis-

sioner said. "Now comes a situa-

tion which leaves the two pen-

insulas completely isolated, certain-

ly a most regrettable condition

in this era of modern transporta-

tion."

Grayling experienced one of the

heaviest snowfalls of the winter

last Sunday night—about 6 inches.

This was followed Monday night

with another of about equal pro-

portions. Very little wind accom-

panied the storms and thus there

was but little drifting snow in-

g at the home of her parents,

Tuesday night the temperature

dropped to the low level of 15 below

zero at 2:30 o'clock, as reported

Wednesday morning at the fish

hatchery.

The Mason-Legion pinocle

tournament went into its seventh

night Tuesday at the Masonic

temple with a still larger crowd

than ever before, with eight tables

in play. Carl Jensen and Car-

lyle Brown held the high scores

for the Masons and Wilfred Lau-

rant and Alfred Hanson tied with

the Pailing and Victor Petersen

for the Legion. Each side won

four out of eight games. There

are exactly three more weeks to

go so those who have not shown

up yet had better hurry.

Superintendent Poor of Gray-

ling schools reports that all teach-

ers are now in school and that

only a few pupils are still out be-

cause of illness. The present at-

tendance is the best it has been

since the beginning of the scarlet

fever period that kept many

homes in quarantine. At no time

were there over 3 1/2 % of the

pupils out of school, which is a

very good record. The greatest

trouble was that the illnesses

were quite prolonged. Many of

the teachers were victims. All are

well and about now, and soon

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joining over the arrival of a son,

Monday, March 6.

On Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mayotte were hosts at a party complimenting Miss Vivian Sorenson and Mrs. Godfred Johnson of Detroit. Games were played and late in the evening a nice lunch was served.

Alfred Hummel, well-known Maple Forest resident and owner of the Maple Hill Dairy, announces that he has just installed the latest type of pasteurizing apparatus. All milk and cream coming from his dairy is pasteurized and of the highest quality.

George Annis should be happy because of this fine sap weather. Freezing at night and thawing in daytime and "sugar" snow makes the sap run. George knows how to make delicious maple syrup and maple sugar.

With the health records clear of any cases of scarlet fever, two new cases have developed in the past few days, Roger Kessler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Kessler, and Shirley Denewett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Denewett. Mrs. Risonette, city health officer, reports that there are but few cases of measles at present.

An epidemic of smallpox is reported at Gladwin. Also six cases of it are reported at Roscommon. Better ask our doctors to get out their vaccine points. What's the use of taking a chance when prevention is so simple.

As the rains and thaws of last week did so much damage to facilities at the Winter Sports Park, it has been closed for the season. A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wyckoff of Roscommon at Grayling Mercy Hospital on February 26.

Raymond Beck of Beaver Creek had the misfortune to lose one of his horses last week.

Clarence Kaine, Ben Garland, and George Charley left last week for Niles to construct a log cabin for the Roscommon Log Cabin Co. Grayling High School was recently presented with an exhibit showing the various steps in the hatching of rainbow trout eggs and the development of the fry to but previous to his going there he

fingerling at an age of 4 months. This instructive exhibit was prepared by Mr. George Bielski and presented to the school through the courtesy of the Grayling Fish Hatchery. The display has created quite a lot of interest among the students and the school wishes to thank Mr. Hans Petersen, superintendent of the Grayling Fish Hatchery, and Mr. Bielski, for this excellent addition to its equipment.

John Bruun, manager of the Grayling State Savings Bank, who is spending a month in Denmark, called the bank on the telephone Monday from Copenhagen. He wanted to know how everything was and also about his horse and dog, and wanted to be remembered to his Grayling friends. This is probably the first time Grayling and Copenhagen, Denmark, were ever connected by phone.

46 YEARS AGO

March 9, 1916

Ralph Hewitt of Winn, Mich., is spending a month in Denmark, he had been visiting.

Miss Hattie Gierke is spending a couple of days in Bay City visiting her sister Miss Beatrice.

Mrs. Carl Sorenson and daughter Lois left Thursday for Detroit to join her husband, who recently went to Detroit to work in the Ford plant.

Miss Johanna Hendrickson returned Saturday after spending several weeks in Grant and Muskegon, the guest of some of her schoolmates.

Mrs. Weldon H. Warren and two children are leaving Thursday for their home in Skagway, Alaska, after spending several months here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tromble.

Word has been received of the marriage of Floyd Kramer of Cheboygan to Miss Esther Yarpie on Saturday, February 19, in Cheboygan. Mr. Kramer is employed in the City Bakery in Gaylord but previous to his going there he

assisted in the baking department of the Model Bakery in this city.

Grayling Lodge Loyal Order of Moose gave a dancing and card party for their members and their wives at their lodge and club rooms Tuesday evening. There were about 50 couples present.

Miss Sena Eilersen was united in marriage on Tuesday, February 20, to Elf Rasmussen of Detroit at the latter city. Their many friends extend best wishes to a happy marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Hanson and C. C. Fink returned first of the week from Chicago, where they purchased the furnishings for the new hotel. The decorating for the dining room is finished and is beautiful. The work was done by Nemesis Nielson of this city. Waldemar Jensen is doing the office decorations which is a guarantee that that part will be beautiful also.

Fire originating from an overheated stove in the basement of DeWale and Son Tuesday night slightly damaged their stock and the stock of the Holiday Bazaar.

Friday evening the following members of the Freshman Class formed a party which enjoyed a sleighride to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stephan: Messrs. Charles Gierke, Patsy McKay, Loyl Cameron, Walter Doyh and Percy Pailing, and Misses Irene Nielson, Hazel Cassidy, Ruby Olson, Erdine McNeven, Kathryn Brady, Lucille McPhee, Louise Salling, Hazel Robinson, Phoebe Johnson.

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Any automobile will start reliably all through the lowest temperatures Winter can throw at you if you keep the ignition mechanism in top condition.

An exhaust system that is about to go usually picks this time of year. A faulty exhaust system is hard on gas, cuts performance and can endanger your life. Have it checked if it is beginning to sound louder than usual.

Proper headlight aiming is doubly important now when reaction times to avoid accidents are more than cut in half due to poor driving conditions.

Analysis of stopping distances on snow and ice show that it takes better than from two to three times the distance to stop on snow and ice than on dry pavement. Snow tires reduce the difference 24 percent, fire chains 60 percent and reinforced chains are almost on par with dry pavement in effectiveness.

There was never a better time than now, with the new year just getting underway, to get service work done. Our service shop is in a traditionally slack period and unrushed mechanics will give your car prompt attention.

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FOR RENT — Ground floor space in former Grayling Laundry buildings, 408 Norway. Call DI 8-4671. 3-19/11

FOR TV SALES & SERVICE — contact Stamply TV Sales and Service, 502 McClellan, phone DI 8-5221. Emerson TV & appliances also. 7-25/11

WANTED — Sewing alterations and repair work. Mrs. Chester Lozon, Phone DI 8-6417. 10-27/11

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SERVICES HELD FOR MRS. HARRIETT POST

Funeral services for Mrs. Harriett Post, 72, were held Wednesday, February 28, 1962, at the Michelson Memorial church, with the Rev. Alfred Fennell officiating. Interment was in Elmwood Cemetery, with William Krage, Harry Sorenson, Clement Blaine, Harold Long and Edward Gierke serving as pallbearers.

Mrs. Post succumbed at Grayling Mercy Hospital on Monday, February 26th. She had been in the hospital for five weeks in the fall, and after being home at Christmas, for about seven weeks before her passing.

Born September 15, 1890 at Toronto, Canada, the deceased was the daughter of the late Charles and Harriet Anthony. She was married to the late James Post, passed away many years ago. The couple moved to Grayling about 45 years ago, coming here from Moore's town. Mrs. Post was a good neighbor to all her many friends, always ready with a helping hand when needed.

Besides her son James, and two grandchildren, she is survived by a brother, Charles Anthony of Moorestown, and a sister, Mrs. Eva Crane of Roscommon.

SERVICES HELD FOR FRED INGALLS
Funeral services for Fred David Ingalls were held Friday, March 2nd at 2 o'clock at the Sorenson Funeral Home, with the Rev. Alfred Fennell officiating. Interment was in Elmwood Cemetery, with William Krage, Harry Sorenson, Clement Blaine, Harold Long and Edward Gierke serving as pallbearers.

Mrs. Ingalls passed away February 28 at Mercy Hospital following a long illness. She was born June 1, 1909, in Grayling, to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ingalls, the deceased spent most of his life here. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Andrew Cholewa, a daughter, David, and a son, Raymond of Grayling and Mrs. Bruce Orvis of Flint; and three brothers, Clarence of Flint and Grayling; Ora of Mancelona and Herman of Muskegon.

SCHOOL NOTES
The regular class meetings were held from 9 to 9:40 a. m. on Monday, and the regular Student Council meeting during the fourth hour.

The Cheerleaders conducted a candy sale Tuesday. Details of the sale to be distributed at noon on Wednesday.

The Grayling - Alcona-Lincoln tournament clash was to be decided Wednesday evening at Roscommon.

There will be an all-school dance this Friday at the high school gym, starting at 8 o'clock and lasting until 11:30. Mr. and Mrs. Bud Halstead and Mrs. Homer King are parent sponsors. Mr. Earl Gierke and Mrs. W. J. Smith the teacher sponsors.

CUB SCOUT NEWS
The Cub Scout annual Blue and Gold Banquet was held February 23rd at the Michelson Memorial church, with around one hundred fifty people attending. The evening program was displayed, with many boys making real progress toward their badges and awards. Following the Cub Scout February Parade of Presidents, the styrofoam heads of Washington and Lincoln were used as table decorations. Many of the Cub Scouts made and wore red, white and blue Washington hats.

After everyone had all they wanted to eat, the movie entitled "The Boy From Hickory Street" was shown.

Packmaster C. Halstead thanked everyone who had helped with the Cub Scouts in the past and reminded people to call him when any one could help in the future. The Cub Scouts can still use several more Den Mothers, as most Dens are over limit of 6 to 8 boys per Den. Den Mothers get Scout Quarters which aid them, along with their Scoutmaster's help.

A special thanks to Dawson's for furnishing the orange drink for the banquet, to Hunter's Dairy for some of the milk, and to Gould Cleaners for cleaning the flags.

Home Extension News
The February meeting of the Grayling Home Extension group was held at Mrs. LeRoy Christian's home on the 22nd. A demonstration of liquid embroidery was given by Mrs. Mike Cherven of Roscommon, in place of the regular lesson. The penny prize and the door prize were won by Mrs. Raymond Slusser and Mrs. Tony Buron. A card was read to the group from one of our members, Mrs. Addison Brown, who is spending the winter in Anaheim, California.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Robert Golinick on March 13th, with a lesson on "Better Use of Kitchen Appliances" to be presented by Mrs. Eldee Swanson. Merle Carlson, secretary-reporter.

Our Weather
(Courtesy of Billy Kinkert)

February
27 31 14
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March
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Rain, Melted Snow, Sleet, Snow on Grd.
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March
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Total snowfall to date is 88"
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OUR GANG

Eighteen members of Our Gang were present for the March 1st meeting at Mrs. Clarence Roberts' home. The ladies prepared for delivery to the Johannes Petersen family a quilt which they had finished.

Readings by Mrs. Hurl Deckrow, Mrs. R. L. grandniece, Mrs. Warren Hatfield were enjoyed by everyone.

Prizes were won by Mrs. Rudy Feldhauser, Mrs. Hattie Moshier, Mrs. Ernest Winston and Mrs. John Stephan. The penny prize went to Mrs. Oscar Charron.

The Gang will meet next on March 15th at Mrs. William Herd's home. The committee will be Mrs. Bert Confer, Mrs. Charron and Mrs. Percy Budd.

Bits O' Talk
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lippard and infant son Richard IV left last Wednesday to spend until Saturday in Elmwood manse.

Oliver Robinsonette going from there to Gladwin to spend a week or so with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Elton Brasington and family.

Leonard and his wife, Miss Tess to the Tuesday Bridge Club last week. Mrs. Ward-Ellison and Mrs. Marion Burch were guests.

Mrs. Ellison held high score, Mrs. Ward-Ellison high mark. Mrs. Burch low Mrs. Tom Welsh will be hostess to the group on March 13th.

Tim and Jim Perry and Dave Wellman of Gaylord left Tuesday morning to go to Key West, Fla., where Jim Perry goes on a navy cruise aboard a destroyer for two weeks. Tim Perry and Dave Wellman leave Charleston, S. C. on a two-week navy cruise on the same date, March 11th, after spending a few days with Jim in Miami Beach.

Only two weeks left! Take advantage of the 1/2 off on winter merchandise at Tip Top Togs.

Orlin Luckstedt spent the weekend of Feb. 25th with his parents, the Mel Luckstedts. He had as his guests Miss Helen Luckstedt, Marilyn Mikan and Connie DeMulle, and Jim Fox, fellow students at the U. of M. who came to try out the local skiing. Orlin's home was found at St. Wayne's, week before last.

Michael and Mary Hendricks and two sons, Michael and Harry, ages 6 and 7, moved to Grayling from Jackson, Michigan, Saturday, February 24th. Mr. and Mrs. Corrections Officer at Conservation - Corrections Camp Lehman, transferred here from Jackson.

The two boys attend the first and second grades at the local school. The family is making their home in the former Roy McEvers house at Lake Margrethe.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ludeman left Wednesday last for Grand Mexico, to spend a couple of weeks visiting their first granddaughter, Jana Lynn Ludeman, and Jana's parents, the Frank Ludemans.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Madsen, Jr. returned home February 28th, after spending three months traveling around the continent since their marriage in November.

Be sure to see the Pyrofax Gas advertisement on page 7 of this issue. Post Oil Co., Inc.

Miss Jeanette Henig and classmate Miss Candace Porter of East Liverpool, Ohio, came home from Kingswood School, Grayling, to spend the weekend with the former's parents, Dr. and Mrs. B. E. Henig. They accompanied Miss Jeanette's grandparents, the Clarence Henigs of Detroit, back to their school of Sunday.

Fourteen boys of the St. Mary's Angels basketball Peanut League team gave a farewell party for their coach, Sandy Thompson, at the Wesley LaFare home Monday night of last week following one of their ball games. Food for the party was furnished by the boys' mothers, a couple of whom assisted Mrs. LaFare at the party.

Thompson has moved his family to Hancock, in the U. P.

Lake Margrethe
By Marjorie Flower

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Birdsell left for Detroit Saturday morning planning to return the first of the week. Their guests last week for the banquet, were Mrs. B. E. Henig, and Saturday evening the Gilbert Crams of Frederic.

Mrs. Signe Randolph returned home last Sunday from Cadillac, and is feeling quite well.

She and her family came to the lake with winter sports enthusiasts.

The Frank Sniders have the sympathy of the lake folks. His father, Frank B. Snider, 83, of Clare passed away on February 24th in the Bay City hospital, after a year's illness due to heart disease. Services were held February 26th from the St. Mary's Funeral Home with the Rev. John Osburn of Mt. Pleasant and Rosebush officiating, with burial in the Rosebush Cemetery. Mr. Snider was born in Napier, Ontario, in December 2, 1879. His early life was spent in the lumber mills, where he operated steam engines. He was married to the former Etta Mabel in Rosebush, and they resided in Clare and the surrounding area for the past 58 years. Besides his wife, he leaves his two sons, Frank of Grayling and George Henry, of Flint.

Twin Bridges
By Mrs. Esther Herrick

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Loeffler of Detroit visited his parents the Paul Loefflers and Mrs. Barbara Seibel and friend of Southfield visited with Miss Seibel's grandparents the Paul Loefflers over the weekend. The girls doing some skiing in Napier, Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Poorman and family of Saginaw spent the week end at their parents, the Bill Poormans.

Mrs. Poorman has been confined to her home since the winter with illness. Spring will soon be here Polly then most everyone will feel better.

Although still confined to Mercy Hospital, Mrs. Irene Eggerberg celebrated her birthday Sunday, with many good wishes from her friends and neighbors with cards and gifts.

A large flock of ducks flew over Twin Bridges Sunday with an Eagle in close pursuit.

Maple Forest

By Miss Bosco Foldhuusor, Mrs. Arthur Howse and Mrs. Carrie Baynam

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Megill received word of the arrival of a granddaughter, Marian Ruth, born to Mr. and Mrs. Larry Megill of Grand Rapids, on Friday, March 2nd.

Callers at the Megill home on Saturday were Mrs. Lillian Pomazinski, Mrs. Herbert Johnson and Mrs. Glen Angel of Gaylord. Also on Saturday evening the Albert Westervelts were guests.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bradstreet went to Hudson on Thursday, from where Mrs. Bradstreet was leaving by train to spend some time in Brooklyn, N. Y. with her son Bob and family, while her daughter-in-law is having surgery.

Mr. Bradstreet returned on Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cole of Lowell were Sunday visitors at the Oscar Parson's home.

Stanley Hummel spent from Wednesday until Friday in Detroit at Ford Hospital where he went for observation.

Mrs. Esther Weaver was hostess to the Home Extension Club on Tuesday night. It was to be a lesson meeting but due to the small crowd the lesson was postponed until next meeting, which will be Tuesday, March 13th at the home of Martha Petersen.

There will also be the mystery package sale, so each member remember to bring your mystery package.

Frances Hebel and Kathleen Anderson of Flint spent the weekend at the Playgens home.

Dick Barclay is spending a vacation from his army duties with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Babbitt.

Frederic News
By Mrs. Harry Horton

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Allen spent the weekend visiting his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Allen in Lansing. They also visited Mrs. Doris Macintosh, the former Mrs. Doris Allen, at Mercy Hospital in Jackson on Sunday.

Mr. Fred Allen visited his brother and family, the Dale Allens at Newaygo, over the weekend.

Mrs. Raymond Brown left Wednesday for Defiance, Ohio, to visit her mother and brother, who will be put back at the home of Margie Harwood on March 21st.

Mrs. Mary E. Dunckley came home from Florida last week and found a much cooler climate awaiting her.

Mrs. Lydia Horton came home Saturday after visiting in Pontiac and Walled Lake for three weeks. Her great-grandmother, Victor Burn, and friend brought her home.

We are glad to hear Max Tobin is home from the hospital much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman LaVack

and Routine of Midland spent the weekend visiting their daughter and family, the Raymond Weavers.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Schardt of Cincinnati, Ohio, spent the weekend visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Melroy were in Petoskey Tuesday on business. Mr. and Mrs. Chester Garver of Dearborn and Dick Weaver of Detroit spent the weekend with the Otis Weavers. They also brought Pa Weaver home. He spent three weeks in Detroit and Dearborn with his daughters.

THE SUNSHINE CLUB
On February 27th, we met at the town hall with 16 present. Many of our girls were sick with the flu this week. The President in charge of this meeting was Cindy Harwood. Mrs. Dianne Phillips was our helper this week.

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Mercy Hospital News

Patients registered at Mercy Hospital this week included: Bernard Blankenship, Bernard Blankenship, Garrett Bailey, Henry Brown, Earl Dawson, Minnie Ott, Irene Eggensberger, Mary Lamm, Everett Jones, Louis LaGow, Leo Nill, Virginia Peterson, Edna Risch, Loretta Williams, Robert Winstow, Leah Williams, Darius Troutman, Lillian Rutledge, Elizabeth Rice, Frank Millikin, Margaret Hagedorn, William Dusenbury, and the late Arthur Roscomomay. Deceased Cookins an Emma Houtzhan of Houghton Lake, Levi Houghton of Houghton Lake, Houghton, Joannita Roessler of St. Helen, Jacob Tuomunen of Calumet, and Eugene Garver of Gladwin.

Emma Lovely, and Mrs. Joseph Doremire of Midland.

The Dale Kenyons have a son, Patrick Omer, born March 2, weighing 7 lbs. 3 oz. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kenyon of Detroit are, grand-children, while Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Mapes of Midland and Mrs. Clara Ball of Racine, Wis. are great-grandparents.

The Otis Purcells of Houghton Lake had a son born Feb. 28.

The Bill Kelloggs are pleased over the arrival of a son, Craig James, at Otsego County Memorial Hospital on March 5th. He weighed 6 lbs. 11 oz. Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Kellogg and Mr. and Mrs. William LaGrow are Craig's grandparents. He has two great-grandmothers, Mrs. Carl Sorenson and Mrs. Rennie Kellogg.

Alumni Ass'n. Seeks Graduates' Addresses

We need information on these Alumni of Grayling High School. If anyone can help us please contact Mrs. Clara Sorenson, secretary G. H. S. Alumni Ass'n, phone DI 8-2891 or DI 8-3281.

Class of 1889—Agnes E. Bates, Alie Hadley, Will Manwarren, Nora Masters, Arthur N. Traver, J. Stanley Wilson, Fannie Staley.

Class of 1890—Musa Havens, Mary Mantz, Eugene Thayer.

Class of 1892—Alfred DeWaele, Arthur DeWaele, Pansy Havens, Josephine Jones, Josie Taylor, Nellie Sanderson.

Class of 1893—Alice Manwarren, Madeline Manwarren.

Class of 1895—May Blanshan, Fred Havens, Edna Belle Keller, Ralph W. Smith.

Class of 1896—Rosa Benson, Eugene Kendrick, Nettie Robinson.

Class of 1901—Edith Wainwright; Class of 1903—Freida Niles; Class of 1904—Cora Vendwater.

Class of 1906—Victor Brown, William Hammond, Ole Johnson, Helen Johnson (Mennet), Isobel Denton, Sally Gross (Ashton), Peggy Schmidt (Olson), Shirley Souder (Knuttila).

Class of 1912—Clyde Hum, Kenneth Merriman.

Class of 1913—William Lauder, Class of 1914—Florence Neufelt; Class of 1915—Frankie Gregory.

Class of 1918—Roy Brown, Gladys Everett, Benton Jorgensen, Carlton Meistrup, Audrey Tanner.

Class of 1921—Gordon Davidson, Doris McLeod (Brant).

Class of 1922—Hester Hanson, Anna Rutesky, Ruth McCullough (Holt), Ida, Walden.

Class of 1923—Farn Hum (Myers), Myrtle Winslow.

Class of 1924—Lena Duffel (Vogel), Wilbur Gould, Ruth Harrington (Kleinham).

Class of 1925—Bertha Merritt, Don Reynolds, Class of 1926—Elizabeth Harder.

Class of 1928—Ruth Chamberlain, Isbrand Harder.

Class of 1929—Ellen Speck, Kendall Strickland.

Class of 1930—Mary Mancke (Craig), Margaret Warren, (Pardee).

Class of 1932—Josephine Bennett (Warner), June Schofield (White).

Class of 1933—Russell Byrnes, Helen Milliken (Warner), Ruth McCullough.

Class of 1934—Betty DeFrain; Class of 1936—David Ward.

Class of 1938—Keith Bowen, Lewis Rutkowski.

Class of 1939—Betty Nellist (Daggen), James Peterson, Arnold.

Tibbets, Caroline Welch, (Mid-dleton).

Class of 1940—Allen Anthony, Clayton Budd; Class of 1942—Raymond Andrus.

Class of 1943—Betty Cantwell, Florence Collins, Robert E. Nelson, Eileen Swarthout, Virginia VonDette.

Class of 1944—Helen Gould, Shirley Nelson; Class of 1945—Shirley Murray.

Class of 1946—Annette Bennett (Lawton), Emery Craft, Jr., Emogene Dykehouse (White), Elma Mae Jensen (Burgess).

Class of 1947—Phillip Keway, Shirley Bennett, Virginia Boone, Jack Hall, Jack Perry.

Class of 1948—Thomas Yoder, Freda Dykehouse.

Class of 1949—Thomas Anthony, Axel Peterson, Robert Smith, Warder Smith, Thelma Ager, Donna Carlson (Wiley), Mary Majeska, Norine Vincent.

Class of 1950—James Feldhauser, James McCallum, Robert Rasmussen, Jack Trudeau, Valdi Watkins, Rose Dutton, Ila Valentine.

Class of 1951—Bill Akers, Donald Anthony, William Weiss, Elwyn Kruse, Joan Bond, Elaine Tinker (Goen).

Class of 1952—Robert Sunday, Mordene Brush (Larson), Isabel Denton, Sally Gross (Ashton), Peggy Schmidt (Olson), Shirley Souder (Knuttila).

Class of 1955—Richard Hamilton, Jean Malloy (Phillips).

Class of 1956—Alicia Hasmann, James Vaughn, Devere Wolcott, Jr.

Class of 1957—Wayne Dutton, Stephen Smith, Marilyn Burch (Pickard), Sally Minear, Marie Morgan, Nancy Reava, Patricia Ryan.

Class of 1958—Mary Ann Cecilia, Douglas Durga, Vivian Fenton, Glada Jensen (Benaway), Paul Johnson, Richard Moore, Roger Nelson.

Class of 1959—John Cox, Thomas Galvani, Curtis Haas, Albert Johnson, Russell Mudge.

Class of 1960—Thomas Brooks, Jack Hull, William Lewis.

Lake Margrethe Water Level

(Information furnished by U. S. Geological Survey)

Period of record, Nov. 12, 1942 to date:

Water level Mar. 1, '62 1133.77 ft
Water level Mar. 1, '61 1133.77 ft
Maximum level for period of record Sept. 15, '61—1135.46 ft
Minimum level for period of record Sept. 24-27, '48—1133.57 ft
Preliminary Figures Subject To Revision

Michigan Quizdown

Can you answer these questions about the Water Wonderland State?

1- EXPERTS CLAIM, ONE OF MICHIGAN'S MOST POPULAR WINTER SPORTS IS BEST AS LATE AS MID-APRIL. THE SPORT?

2- IN EARLY SPRING THE SNOW ON MICHIGAN'S SKI SLOPES MELTS DURING THE DAY AND FREEZES AT NIGHT. IT'S A FAVORITE OF MANY SKIERS AND HAS BEEN GIVEN A SPECIAL NAME. KNOW WHAT IT IS?

3- MICHIGAN'S PORCUPINE MOUNTAIN STATE PARK IS ONE OF THE LARGEST STATE PARKS IN THE UNITED STATES. HOW MANY ACRES DOES IT COVER?

4- DETROIT IS CLOSER TO EUROPE VIA AN ALL-WATER ROUTE THAN IT IS BY LAND TO NEW YORK AND THEN BY WATER. WHAT BROUGHT THE OLD WORLD SO CLOSE?

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Months following surgery. Mr. and Mrs. Klinkerter were in Lansing

weekend before last, attending the retirement party for General Cecil Kennedy held February 24th, and the pre-camp conference on Tuesday, Feb. 27th. They were guests of the Col. Versal Cases while away.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Yaroch and her sister, Mrs. Clarence Ruth of Port Austin, have left for Naples, Fla., where they will spend a month.

Mrs. Ella Wilcox and Mrs. Robert Strong entertained a group of ladies with a 1 o'clock luncheon at the Chief Shoppenagons Motor Hotel on Saturday.

James Bond and Cliff Walsh of Harrisville visited his parents, the Frank Bonds, Friday night.

When Spring begins, the sale of 1/2 off on winter merchandise ends at Tip Top Togs.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kroll entertained their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bear, with a dinner at the Kroll home Sunday evening to celebrate Mr. Bear's birthday. There were about fifteen guests present for the occasion, among them the Bears' weekend guests, Mr. and Mrs. Don Redinger of Pittsburgh, Pa., and Mrs. Fred Walton of Owosso, who is visiting them this week.

Mrs. Walter Mikesell visited her daughter and family, the Robert Strongs II, at Mt. Pleasant, Saturday afternoon and Sunday. The Mikesells' other daughter and family, the Richard Kleins and children of Lansing, stopped at the Strongs' Sunday afternoon on their way home after visiting his parents, the Robert Kleins, over the weekend, also Mr. Mikesell on Sunday.

Miss Phyllis Hunter, daughter of the Barney Hunters, celebrated her sixteenth birthday on Saturday, March 3rd. Phyllis earned her driver's license on her birthday, and her first drive was to pick up ten of her friends for a

plaza party at her home in the evening. The girls made a scrapbook of some important events in Phyllis' life as a keepsake for her, and then they enjoyed dancing, followed by sharing a three-tiered birthday cake made by Phyllis' mother. Phyllis delivered the girls to their homes after the party was over.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Hunter and son David spent Sunday with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Woodworth, in Clare.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kenyon returned February 25th after spending the month at Deland, Florida.

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BITS O' TALK

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Millikin and children and Mrs. Otto Failing were in Sanford over the week-end, visiting Mrs. Millikin's sister, Mrs. Ray Calkins and family.

Friends of Mrs. Mabel Brasie will be interested to know she has moved from the Nill Boarding home to spend some time with Mr. and Mrs. Ron Edsell at Camp Au-Sable.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Hunter and sons of Bay City visited his mother, Mrs. Amos Hunter, Sunday.

Warm greetings from neighbors now far away, and the good wishes expressed by friends and neighbors who gathered at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Foley Sunday afternoon, made her 94th birthday a memorable one. Mrs. Foley came to Crawford County in a covered wagon when a child of eight years. She has spent most of her life in this area.

You get 1/2 off on all winter merchandise at Tip Top Togs during the next two weeks. Better hurry!

Mrs. Ernest Turner entertained fifteen guests Saturday evening in honor of her husband's birthday anniversary. After a delightful supper games were played. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Long, Mr. and Mrs. Art Worden, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hoerl and Mr. and Mrs. D. Weaver. Other friends dropped in during the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Turner left Wednesday evening for West Palm Beach, Florida, for a month's visit with his oldest son, William Turner and family. They will return by way of Cincinnati and Dayton, Ohio, to visit relatives.

Les Hunter and daughter Mary Kay, and his mother, Mrs. William Hunter, attended the wedding of his nephew, Jerry Kely in Flint, on February 24th.

Dr. Leonard Allison was at La-Crosse, Wis., last week from Monday to Friday, visiting a new fisheries-lab at the U. S. Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wild life, where he set up a cooperative research project on lake trout diseases. The main work of the new lab is testing selective poisons for fish. Dr. Allison this week is setting up a research and data program at Watersmeet and discussing starting one at Marquette, from Wednesday to Friday.

Some of the local stores have set out the flower and vegetable seed displays, one of the signs of spring.

Tom Evans was in Lansing on Thursday on business. Mrs. Evans arrived last week on Tuesday after visiting in Indiana and Michigan, on the way home from their Florida vacation.

Mrs. Billy Klinkerter returned to her position in the Superintendent's office at Camp Grayling Monday after absence of five

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GRAYLING TOWNSHIP BOARD OF REVIEW

The first meeting of the Board of Review of Grayling Township will be held on Tuesday, March 6, 1962 from 9:00 a. m. to 4:00 p. m. at the Townhall. The next meetings will be held on March 12th and 13th at the same place and time.

ROBERT HAYES
Township Clerk

BERNARD FOWLER
Supervisor

LOVELLS TOWNSHIP BOARD OF REVIEW

The Lovells Township Board of Review will meet at the Lovells Twp. Hall on Tuesday and Wednesday, March 6th and 7th and on Monday and Tuesday, March 12th and 13th, for the purpose of examining the supervisors assessment roll for 1962.

All persons wishing to appear before the Board regarding their property assessment are requested to be present between the hours of 9 a. m. and 4 p. m. on the above dates.

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For the population of Crawford County collectively, the savings that have been accumulated represent a money bomb with a big potential. When the button is pressed to release it, local business will receive a powerful boost forward.

The sizeup of this progress, locally, is based on data gathered by the Federal Reserve System and by the Department of Commerce and on latest income distribution figures, covering all areas of the country.

They show that the proportions of earnings that are being put aside as savings vary widely. Among families that have less than \$3,000 a year in disposable income, little or nothing is put away. They have difficulty just keeping going.

From \$3,000, where minor savings become possible, it rises to 5 per cent a year at \$6,000 and moves up rapidly, reaching 25 per cent or more in the top brackets.

Applied to Crawford County, where the latest annual report shows a net disposable income of \$3,261 per household, the average rate was 2.8 per cent and the amount of savings in the year an estimated \$91 per household.

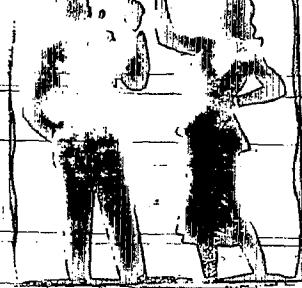
For the county as a whole, the annual savings were approximately \$133,000, compared with the previous year's \$120,000.

According to the Commerce Department, the American people saved a grand total of \$38 billion in the past year, or \$2 billion more than in 1960.

As to consumer credit, that is down to 13 per cent of the nation's

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al income, points out Sidney Weintraub, prominent economist, writing in Challenge magazine. He finds, therefore, that there is no indication that consumers are overspending on balance, he says, the trend is in the other direction. People are spending a smaller proportion of their available cash than normally.

Home Extension News

The Happy Matrons met Monday evening at Mrs. Carlbel Goss's new home with Mrs. Harry McEvers hostess. Lesson given by Mrs. George Worthey was on Building Family Security followed by a quiz. Next meeting will be March 26, again at the home of Mrs. Goss. Lesson will be on Small Appliances for the home. We wish to extend our "Get Well" wishes to Mrs. Carl E. Johnson, our reporter, who is in Mercy Hospital and hope that by the next meeting she will be able to attend. Reporter pro tem, D. Worthey

Celebrate 25th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Harold F. Longdyke of Birmingham, Mich., celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary by entertaining close friends at a Roaring Twenties party.

Authentic dresses from the 20's had been taken out of moth balls or rented.

Among the ladies looking as if they had stepped out of the pages of College Humor were Mrs. William Robinson in a fire engine red job skirted with rows of black fringe, accented with shoes with ankle ties, rolled stockings, and a headband of sequins on a black ribbon.

Mrs. Harry Mampet wore a straight cut orange dress draped at the hips and with side slits, and a flapper band around her head.

Longdyke's daughter Mary wore an original cotton, above-the-knee wedding dress with a scalloped hemline.

Mrs. Gordon Armstrong attired herself in an original beaded dress.

Mrs. Arthur Collins donned a Charleston dress with a rhinestone stomacher and topped it with feathers in her hair which seemed to be in the molting season. Her husband wore a white pin striped suit with spats.

Mrs. Guy Watts came as the original garter girl and shoes with came as an overgrown freshman, cap, letter and all.

Mrs. Longdyke stepped on the scene wearing a navy hand crocheted dress with fringe, a foot long. The dress was draped around the hips with red rosette bows, and she wore matching garters and her hair in a french twist bedecked in jewels. Mr. Longdyke tripped around wearing a red and white striped shirt, blue and white blazer and straw hat, one of the old fashioned hard ones.

All in all the ladies who wore fringe and feathers looked like they were something that came from the second cousin monkey family.

Guests viewed Mrs. Longdyke's collection of 15 books of snapshots and danced to the recordian music of Angelo Tomme.

Guests gave with the Charleston and 20 encores of the Twist. The evening ended with a midnight buffet supper. Twas the twinst party remarked Dr. A. Gordon Armstrong.

John L. Glorio, the Longdyke's son-in-law, flew home from Ft. Riley, Kansas to surprise Mom and Dad.

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Pictured above are the February, 1962 graduates of Mercy School of Practical Nursing, who took part in exercises held at St. Anne's church in Cadillac, Sunday, February 18th. In the top row, right, is Beverly Hoskey, in the center, left, Sharon Renaud, center middle Shirley Matzen, the bottom left Beatrice Andrews and bottom right, Diane Vailancourt the five girls who trained at Grayling Mercy Hospital.

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HARLEQUINS — Of the Jumbo League coached by Bob Smock and Whitey Madsen are pictured above. From left to right: front row, Bobby Smock, David McEvers, Roger Hubbelly, back row, Danny Walls, John Sorenson, Jerry Fox and Dane Madsen. Members pictured: Fox, Joe F.



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The Stompers coached by Dick DuBois and Bud Halstead are pictured above. The squad is a member of the Grayling Jumbo League. In the back row from left to right are: Terry Wright, Richard Salphian, LeRoy Neal, Dight Dean and Howard Mad. In the front row are Ken Halstead, Steve DuBois, Jon Mac and a team member not pictured is



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GIANTS — Of the Jumbo League coached by Ron Larson are pictured above. From left to right: back row, John Millikin, Peter Funk, Arthur Wakeley, Walter Walter front row, Mark Day, Kyle Sussner and Pat Allen. Other team members not pictured: Bruce Feldhauser, Bill Johnson, Jim Toye, Gary Leonard.

SCHOOL BAND NEWS

On Feb. 24, 1962 the G. H. S. Band went to Traverse City and played in the district festival. Other schools participating were Class D—Required number "Ballad in G", Suttons Bay, selected number "The Golden West", March "Brass Triumphant", Kingsley, selected number "Festive Holiday", march, "Remembrance of Colonel Miner", Copemish, selected number "The Golden West", march, "High School Cadeau", Northport, selected number "Cathedral Canyon". Class C—(Junior High bands) required number "Allegro-Adagio and Alleluia", Marcelona, selected number "Smoky Mountain Suite", march, "Brass Triumphant", Gaylord selected number "Air and Minuet", March, "Vanguard". Class A—(Senior High bands) required number "Cathedral Canyon", Elk Rapids selected number "Fantasy on American Sailing Songs", march, "El Caballero", Mancoske selected number "Die Meistersinger", march, "His Honor", Gaylord selected number "Metropolis", march "Torch of Liberty", Benzonia selected number "Time from Symphony No. 9", march, "Liberty Bell", Frankfort selected number "Dramatic Overture", march "Queen City". Class B—required number "Nabucco Overture", selected number "Second Symphony", march, "The Mad Major". We enjoyed listening to the other bands and we learned something from this and we hope it

will help us. On Monday, March 5th, we had our band meeting. We planned our all-school dance which will be March 30th. It will be a Sadie Hawkins Inside Out dance and we would like to see everyone there. On March 27th we are going to have a potluck dinner and the Roscommon Band Booster leader will be here to talk about starting a Band Booster Club. We are waiting for an answer from Gladstone as they are planning to come to Grayling for a concert. We believe that this will take place some time in May. Mr. Christian talked to us about our marching, which will start again after Easter. Also at the meeting we discussed Citizenship points. Band reporters: Vicki McEvers, Cathy Forbes, Patsy McEvers.

Intramural Cage Play Ends Last Week

An intramural cage schedule for grade school boys both at the Grayling Public School and St. Mary's ended with games last week. The program was under the direction of Mr. Dean and the teams were coached by fathers of some of the boys and also by other interested men. The seventh and eighth grade teams were designated as the Jumbo League and the final results were as follows:

Team	Won	Lost
Kobys	9	1
Harlequins	6	4
Stompers	5	5
Giants	5	5
Gunsers	5	5
St. Mary's	0	10

The fifth and sixth grades were organized into the Peanut League and the final results of their season play was as follows:

Team	Won	Lost
Crusaders	9	1
Wildcats	6	4
St. Mary's	5	5
Black Hawks	5	5
Vikings	3	7
Demons	2	8

Bits O' Talk

The Ed Rutkowski family was pleasantly surprised Saturday when a group from Camp Grayling arrived at their home to "house warm" them. They brought with them food and beverages and also a gift for the Rutkowskis. Present were the R. Rutkowskis, Perry Wells, Earl Mathewson, Duane Sloan, John Fallings, David Stewarts, Don Dentons, Bill Brooks, Ed Sorenson, Milford Mogos and Mrs. George Schuble Jr. Also present were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert (Bud) McDonnell and sons Douglas and Gary of Lake Leelanau, who were over night guests of the Rutkowskis. The Bob Niederer family of Highland Park spent from Saturday to Tuesday visiting their parents, the Fred Niederers and the Roy McEverses. They were accompanied here by Mrs. Sally Hummel and daughter, Susie of Clawson, who spent the time with her parents, the Oscar Borchers family. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Isenhauer, Kay, Susan and Gary were in Harbor Springs Sunday to visit the Ivan Davis Jr. family.

Report From Lansing

BY ROSS O. STEVENS
State Representative
This week the big noise around the Legislature is about money. Let me say a few words about the Legislature's part in money matters. There are three major parts to our government—Executive, Legislative, and Judicial. The Legislature decides what taxes shall be collected and decides how this money shall be spent. Generally the actual collecting and spending of this money is done by administrative agencies and colleges which are parts of the executive branch. Generally too, the various departments, agencies and other branches of government prepare estimates of their money needs. These are put together, and with some changes perhaps, reach the Legislature in the form of the Governor's budget recommendations. As a general rule, departments, agencies, etc., request more money than they expect to get. Where this habit started, I do not know, but if all monies requested were appropriated, the state would go in debt much faster than at present. People ask frequently in my district "why don't you do something about this or that needless state spending, or this or that state inefficient spending?" I am not trying to pass the buck when I say that neither the Legislature nor myself personally can do anything about such spending directly. This is a function of the executive branch of government. The actual spending is a function of state officials, various state departments, agencies, and boards. The principle control the Legislature has on spending is its determination to hold a tight reign on monies appropriated. Some members of the Legislature, perhaps, would appropriate recklessly, but fortunately they do not make up a majority.

More and more the Legislature is becoming conscious of excessive spending. Recently a Legislative Auditing Committee was created to study state spending and reveal possible ways of saving taxpayer's dollars. Keeping down taxes is a constant, and sometimes a long battle. The executive end of government in general, wants more money. The majority of the peoples' elected representatives want to hold excessive spending in check.

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Section 5. No driver of any vehicle, other than one on official governmental business, shall follow any fire department vehicle while traveling in response to a fire alarm closer than 500 feet, nor shall any such vehicle be driven or parked within one block from where the fire department vehicle has stopped in answer to a fire alarm.

Section 6. No vehicle shall be driven over or across any fire hose being used any place within said city.

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City Manager

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